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AN ACT OF CHARITY.

BY JESSIE M. ANDERSON.

Mrs. Tom Walton was in a very comfortable frame of mind and body. "Tom" had come home for luncheon, and had amiably started off with their guest, Grace Maynard, for the public reception at the white house. Grace was to go by the afternoon train, and this was her last chance to see the "First Lady of the Land," as the newspapers call our democratic queen. Tom would be coming home for dinner alone after seeing Grace off, and there would be a chance again for their dear cozy evenings together. It was selfish, she knew; but she was glad that they were not to have any more visitors. Nobody would be coming to Washington, now that the season was so nearly over, and she could have Tom all to herself. She looked lazily out of the window and saw her husband and Grace boarding a car at the corner.

There is scarcely anything more entertaining to a student of democratic government than an afternoon reception at the white house. Mr. Walton and his charge had stood long and perseveringly "in line," first out in the street, then gradually pushed along within the grounds, till at last they found themselves standing in solemn file, Grace in front, at the very threshold of the blue room. Just ahead were two tiny but bold figures—a small, dark-eyed Jewess and her smaller brother—"Miss Zimmerman and Mr. Zimmerman," they gave their names to the inquiring usher; "Miss Cinnamon and Mr. Cinnamon," he shouted, in stentorian tones, as they passed along the magic circle within which stood the receiving party.

Back of these was a curious-looking old woman with a huge green veil tied over her head and ears and a tiny, faded old black shawl gathered around her shoulders.

"Wall, now, it's good for sore eyes to see ye," she said, as she shook hands lingeringly with one of the cabinet ladies. "Be ye Mrs. Cleveland? Wall, now. I can't see ez ye look much like your picture that I've got at home. That looks just like my Cynthy did before she died." Her tones were croaking, but there was an upward curve of happy pride in the wrinkles about the kindly old eyes.

"Move on, there!" came the rough voice of the policeman. And Grace and Mr. Walton found themselves taking the woman's place; and then, all in a breath, they were out in the great room beyond, amusing themselves by listening to the broken English of a group of Coreans who stood in one corner, gay in native costume, with their odd caps on their heads.

"Four o'clock already," said Mr. Walton, looking at his watch. "We shall have to hurry, if you want to see the conservatory."

Just as Mr. Walton was putting Grace on her train, Mrs. Walton drawled a lazy "Come!" to the maid who brought her the afternoon post. There were two letters. One, a fat one, from a young cousin of Mr. Walton's, she opened first:

"MY DEAR HETTY: I gather from Tom's letters that you two are still mooning along in your nuptial bliss, not settled down enough to enjoy visitors. So I'm not coming to see you. But you can't guess where I have been!

"It seems a year or two, but it's really only a month, I've spent with a dear funny old aunt of Tom's and mine. I thought I knew what it would be like to live that way, but Gooseberryville exceeded my most fantastic visions.

"Aunt Martha lives in a little old place, not picturesque enough to be called a cottage, and not sizable enough to be a house. I just pumped my brain to remember all the 'news' for years back of anybody connected with our enormous family. She would roll piecrust while I washed teacups; or, to be less poetic, but more frequently true, she filled the oil lamps while I scoured the griddlepans—or polished up the gilt frame of Mr. Cleveland's picture in the parlor.

"Poor old soul! I heard that the villagers about there call her 'Ruts.' I found that she had had for breakfast ever since she was left alone, which is several months ago, griddlecakes and molasses; for dinner, bread without butter and half a pie; and for supper, the rest of the pie and bread and cheese, with a cup of tea. She said it was cheaper and easier; she never had been much of a hand at accounts; and in that way she could tell just how much she spent, and 'keep within her income.'

"While I was there, of course I paid board, and I 'instituted a change,' as she called it. At first she wouldn't eat but one or two different things at one meal; but I soon coaxed her into looking up all her famous old recipes, and I left her a new creature. She got so much fatter and brighter that you would hardly have known her.

"There's no use of sending her money, for she won't like it. But if you and Tom could send her a new shawl and a new dark-green veil—she never goes out without these two things, part of her 'rut'—why, she would put in a better appearance, the dear old soul!

"The visit has really done me good, too. I was getting into a rut, myself, if not quite as narrow a one as Aunt Martha's.

"Most affectionately, your cousin,

"FLORENCE."

Tom Walton was hurrying home, across the little green "square" opposite his street, when he heard someone speak in a quavering tone. "Sir, do you know where Park place is?"

He looked around, and saw a little old woman sitting on a bench that stood at the edge of the gravel walk. She was apparently too tired even to stand up to attract attention; and she spoke in a discouraged way, as if she hardly expected him to turn around.

"Why, madam, this block up here is Park place. What number are you looking for?" he said, kindly, sitting down beside the old lady, and waiting patiently while she fumbled in her pocket.

"I can't find the paper," she said, at last. "But I think it's 47."

"Very well, madam," said Tom, still more kindly; he knew there was no such number in the place, but did not wish to break her hope down until she could rest a little and perhaps find the paper. "If you will just step into my house—this first house here—I will have somebody take you over. You should have a cup of tea, too; you look a bit tired." He picked up her umbrella, and she leaned gratefully on his arm as they crossed the square.

He opened the door with the latchkey, and smuggled the old lady into the library. There he settled her in a big armchair, and then ran hastily upstairs to his wife.

Now Harriet was just looking about for a convenient chair to put her skein of silk across, while she wound it on a large spool, to keep it from tangling. When Tom entered the room she jumped up happily, and, giving him a kiss, said, imperatively: "Now, Tom, you are just in time; put out your hands, sir!"

"You dear old fellow—did Grace get off? What kind of a time did you have at the reception? Tremendously crowded? oh yes, that goes without saying. Oh, Tom, it's such a blessed relief to have you here, all to myself. We won't be 'at home' to anybody for a week, will we? but just have some of our pleasant little evenings together. Have some tea? Here, I can reach the bell. By the way, I've had a letter from Florence Drayton. She's been up to a new prank—been playing her cheer-up act down at your aunt Martha's. She must be an odd old soul from what Florence says. You've never told me much about her. When did you see her last?"

"Aunt Martha? Oh, not since I was a boy. I really have rather neglected her, I suppose. She was all right so long as her daughter lived—Jane. She taught school down there, and they got on very well; but, speaking of old ladies—"

"Oh, Tom," broke in Harriet, "you seem to be excited on the subject of old ladies. You're twisting your hands up frightfully, and the silk is a mess. The trees look bare yet over in the park, don't they? I shall be glad when spring really comes. If it hadn't been for that frost!"

"Apropos of the park," said Tom, humbly, beginning again rather abruptly, "when I was coming through the park this afternoon there was a poor old woman sitting on a bench. I really felt sorry for her, she looked so helpless and tired—"

"Oh, Tom!" cried his wife, in despair, "do please be careful. You're knotting the silk worse than ever. Be sorry for me. You can't waste your pity on every loafer you see on the park benches."

"But, Hetty dear, this old lady wasn't a 'loafer;' she was just a respectable old country soul, I should judge, who had lost her way in the city. I really felt sorry for her."

"Why didn't you bring her home for dinner?" said Harriet, a little sarcastically. "Oh, Tom now you have done it."

Tom dropped the silk entirely in his dismay, and gasped, half laughing in spite of his anxiety: "Well, Hetty dear—I did—bring her—home with me!"

"Thomas Burr Walton! What have you done with her? Poor old thing!" and before Tom could grasp his wife's purpose or change his mode, she was downstairs, flying through the drawing-room into the library beyond with, as she afterwards confessed, a mixture of fears that the "poor old woman might have fallen in a faint from weariness, or that she might have made off with the bric-a-brac."

Poor old thing! She had not fainted, but she was almost unconscious from sheer exhaustion. Tenderly they lifted her and carried her over to the divan in the bow-window recess. She asked feebly for her bag, and moaned out something about being "so many people there," and she was "so tired."

"Why, I do believe it's the very same old creature that walked ahead of us in the procession at the white house," said Mr. Walton; "yes, it's the same green veil!"

They looked for the little bag in vain. "I remember she held on to it when I took her umbrella," said Tom. "She must have dropped it in the street without my noticing it."

"Tom, dear," said Harriet, as they went into the dining-room for dinner, leaving the "poor old soul" fast asleep in the library—"Tom, I think you'd better send around to the other houses in the place and inquire if they are expecting an old lady. You see, it's only a block; and it might save her friends great anxiety."

"But who is there on this block that could possibly be expecting her?" Tom asked, doubtfully.

However, he admitted that there could be no harm done, and finally said he would step around himself. But he came back within half an hour without having learned anything about "an old lady—looking for some number on Park place." Nobody was "expecting her." "She must have meant Park avenue," they decided; "we will try to find out to-morrow; don't disturb her now."

And so, with cushions carefully arranged to shut off all draft, they left her on the wide window couch for the night. The next day they had a doctor call in and a trained nurse from the hospital. The old lady was very ill, and talked feverishly.

"Mrs. Cleveland was there; but I didn't have a chance to shake hands. They made us hurry by so fast. But she looks like Cynthy. Yes, Cynthy could have made a president's wife—wouldn't have been a mite too good for her. I think I dropped my bag—dropped it—yes, there it is; and I'm too tired to pick it up!"

Suddenly Harriet, listening, turned and ran downstairs to the library, from which they had carried the old woman that morning up to the "guest room," which Grace Maynard had just left. "I wonder if she could have dropped it here!" was the thought that had come to her.

She looked about, near the chair where she had found the old woman on the previous afternoon; and there, surely enough—there was the little black bag! She hesitated for a moment, then decided to open it.

Then she flew upstairs to the dressing-room, where Tom was polishing his boots.

"Oh, Tom," she cried, half laughing, but with a "choke" in her voice—"Tom, it's Aunt Martha!"—N. Y. Independent.

Long Telegraph Line.

The longest telegraph line in the world, above ground and without a break, has just been completed in Australia, that land of long distances. The line runs with a circumbendibus from Rockhampton, in Queensland, to Broome, in western Australia, and crosses about two-thirds of the entire continent. The total length is something over 6,000 miles.

Settled Him.

"Be mine?" he implored.

"No," she answered.

"I won't take no for an answer," he shrieked.

"Nit, then," she responded.

And he took his hat and sadly went.—Boston Courier.

WITH THE SIX HUNDRED.

An English Soldier Who Participated in Many Famous Battles.

The death but recently occurred at Chatam of William Henry Faulkner, one of the few survivors of the 600 who took part in the famous Balaklava charge, says the London Daily News.

Born in Inverness, Faulkner, at the age of 17, joined the Fourth Light dragoons. In the course of a few months he was sent out to the Crimea, and his regiment was speedily under fire. In charging the Russian guns at Balaklava he received a bullet in his neck, where it remained until the day of his death, being deeply buried in the muscles. The young dragoon attacked the Russian who fired the shot and cut him through with his saber from shoulder to side, severing his body completely. The horrors of the war were too much for a young fellow of Faulkner's age, and he was invalidated home, suffering from mental aberration.

Upon his restoration to convalescence Faulkner joined the Royal marines and again saw active service in the Indian mutiny. He was present at both the relief of Lucknow (November 17, 1857), and its recapture (March 12, 1858). He also fought at Cawnpore in the battle of December 6, 1857, and was severely wounded by a blow from a club wielded by a giant sepoy. He had himself bayoneted three of the enemy previous to being rendered hors du combat.

Faulkner completed 21 years' service in the Royal marines and then retired on a meager pension, afterward getting employment as a laborer. The deceased was 59 years of age.

FALSE ECONOMY.

Waste of Time More Than Balanced Price of Finished Article.

In an article in a recent number of Cassier' Magazine Mr. H. Hansen gives an illustration of what he calls an example of false shop economy. Aside from its interest and the lesson it suggests, it reminds me of an instance which was related to me not long ago. Mr. Hansen's article says:

Not long ago I was employed by a firm who concluded to make a grinder themselves rather than purchase one. They had the draftsmen, pattern-makers, machinists and molders, with plenty of wood and pig iron in the background, so it entered their mind that there could not be much expense attached to converting this into whatever they saw fit. Owing to the ignorance of their foundry foreman, who was not accustomed to this class of work, the main casting or bed was cast three times before producing a passable piece of work. The smaller parts were the same way, and there was hardly a piece connected with it that was made on the first trial. In nearly every case success came only after some experience had been paid for. When it came to assembling, I have a distinct recollection of several pieces refusing to be put together. Parts which should have been cast separately were consolidated to make it easier for the pattern-maker and machinist.

HOLES IN THE CANVAS.

An Important Discovery Increasing the Efficacy of Sails.

An Italian sea captain, Gio Batta Vasallo, of Genoa, has made a very interesting innovation in the use of sails of ordinary sailing vessels. He claims, says the Philadelphia Record, that the force of wind cannot fully take effect in a sail, since the air in front of it cannot properly circulate in the inflated part, and remains stationary immediately in front of part of the sail proper. He avoids this stagnation of air, as he calls it, by the application of a number of small holes in that part of the sail where the depression is deepest when it is filled; these holes are reinforced like a buttonhole so that they will not tear out. Trials made in various weather have resulted as follows: With a light wind, a boat with ordinary sails made four knots, while the new sail increased the speed to 5¼ knots. In a fresh breeze the respective speeds were seven and 8¾ knots; and in a strong wind they were eight and ten knots per hour. It stands to reason that the doing away with a layer of air, which cannot escape past the sides of the sail, must increase the efficiency of the sailboat. Where the wind formerly struck a cushion of air which acted like a spring mattress, decreasing the actual pressure of the wind against the canvas, this current of air now strikes the sail direct, and, of course, has a greater efficiency. Vasallo has received much encouragement from practical sailors as well as theoretical scientists.

THE MOUTH AND TEETH.

The star fish is all mouth. When this creature intends to make a meal he simply surrounds his prey and waits until it is digested.

The enamel of the teeth is composed of 95 per cent. of calcarious matter, a larger portion than enters into any other part of the system.

The squirrel is provided with a pouch on each side of his mouth in which he can carry a considerable amount of nuts, corn or other food.

According to the physiognomist, a projecting under lip is a bad sign, indicating pig-headed obstinacy and dullness, if not actual stupidity.

"The Principles of Dental Surgery," by Leonard Koecker, in 1828, placed dentistry on its proper footing as an independent branch of surgery.

Every tooth is provided with a nerve, and if any doubt is felt on this point, an exposure of the nerve will demonstrate the accuracy of the statement.

Several kinds of apes are provided with large pouches on the sides of the mouth. One kind of African ape can carry a quart of corn on each side of his jaw.

Dampness Should Be Avoided.

Dampness in dairy houses should be studiously avoided. Dampness produces fungoid growth, not only developing but increasing organic germs; and there are, when the conditions are favorable, countless invisible germs floating in the air to attack the milk and spoil it and the butter. Then beware of damp floors. A little lime scattered around, or placed in a box in the dairy house, will absorb a large quantity of the moisture. But the first important step to take is to see to the drainage; see that it is as perfect as possible.—Farmers' Review.

EQUINE PATHFINDER.

Remarkable Instinct of Some Quadrupeds as to the Way Home.

Horses and mules are known by all who have much experience with them as famous pathfinders.

A good story of this power in the horse tribe is told of a mule by John T. Campbell, of Rockland, Ind. In the early days of prospecting in Oregon a party was in the field, and had covered a very circuitous course, which they depended on a civil engineer to enable them to retract, should they see any objects worthy of a revisit. Having decided to return to the home camp by the most direct route, the engineer, after calculating latitudes and departures, pointed out what he believed to be the correct direction along which they must proceed to reach the desired point. When night overtook them they found that they were not at the home camp, as they expected to be, though the engineer assured them that they were not far away from the desired point, although he was quite unable to say in which direction it was best to turn. At this stage of their wanderings the driver of the team turned one of the mules loose, and at once, much to the discomfiture of the engineer and the amusement of the rest of the party, it set off in a direction that brought them to the home camp. Now, this mule had never before been allowed to wander in this locality, for fear that it would stray and become lost, nor had it ever before been over the route by which they had reached the point where the engineer was at fault. It was after dark; there was no one at the camp to make any noise that its sharp ears might detect, and the way was entirely unknown to it. How had it at once taken the route that would lead to camp?

A case allied to this happened to me in the Blue mountains of Jamaica, where a pony that had never before been in the parish, where I was lost in a tropical storm, took me back to the point from which we had started in the morning, and that by a much nearer route, entirely new to both of us. While I was aware by the growth of the trees that we were headed in the right general direction, it was at any time impossible for me to see more than 100 yards ahead. At the time that I left the main trail and got on what afterward proved to be a much shorter cut, it was impossible for me to see anything in the blinding fury of the cloudburst. How the pony found its way with so much satisfaction to itself—it never for an instant appeared to falter on its course—I was unable to determine. It was more than once my experience after that, when we had any difference of opinion as to the ramified ways in those Jamaica hills, that the pony's judgment was the best to depend upon, to find the place where it last had its fodder, although it was at times annoying when that place was not where I wanted to go.—Popular Science News.

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

—A Wise Child—"Dickie, what do you want for your birthday present?" "Oh, papa, get me a savings bank that mamma can't get nickels out of with a hairpin."—Chicago Record.

—Ardent Lover—"If you could see my heart, Belinda, you would know how fondly—" Up-to-date Girl (producing camera)—"I intend to see it, Hiram. Sit still, please."—Chicago Tribune.

—Above the Normal.—Mrs. Boston—"Is my daughter's cold better, doctor? How did you find her temperature?" Doctor (absently)—"Just above the freezing point."—Detroit Free Press.

—"Dear father, we are all well and happy. The baby has grown ever so much and has a great deal more sense than he used to have. Hoping the same of you, I remain your daughter, Molly." —Tit-Bits.

—"Ah! that's a great strain!" exclaimed the tenor, who was exercising his voice in his bedroom. "A great strain it is," replied his room-mate, "on those who have to listen to it."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

—Probably Not.—Susy—"Say, auntie, dear, you're an old maid, aren't you?" Aunt Emma (hesitatingly)—"Certainly, Susy; but it is not nice of you to ask such a question" Susy—"Now, don't be vexed, auntie; I know it isn't your fault."—Herriedener Laubfrosch.

—"I see," remarked Mrs. Hashcroft, at the breakfast table, "that the coffee crop of Honduras has been seriously reduced by two unusually dry seasons." "That's odd," replied the Star Boarder; "I never noticed a scarcity of water in the coffee."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

—In Advance of the Times.—"Sir," began the high-browed man with the rolled manuscript, "in me you behold a man who is in advance of the age." "Yes," said the editor. "You are situated somewhere along about next summer, I presume." "Next summer?" "Yes. I notice that you let the door open."—Indianapolis Journal.

—Determined.—"John," said Miss Blykins, "what is that in your overcoat pocket?" "It's a tin horn, Maria." "And what have you in your hand?" "A red lantern. I have a police whistle in my vest pocket and a red flag inside my vest. I'm going to see if I can get a gripman to stop the cable car for me." —Washington Star.

The Lord Mayor's Robes.

London's lord mayor has to put on three suits of clothes on taking office. He wears a wide-sleeved, velvet-faced, fur-trimmed robe of purple silk rep on presenting himself to the lord chancellor at Westminster; this he uses afterward as a police magistrate. For his show he wears a robe of superfine scarlet broadcloth, faced with sable fur and lined with pearl satin; this he must wear when greeting the judges at the Old Bailey and on all saints' days. The dress for evening and formal receptions is a black damask satin robe, embroidered with silver gilt. Under these he wears a velvet coat and knee breeches. The robes are a perquisite of the office and cost $1,000. The chain of office has on it diamonds worth $600,000, and each lord mayor must give bonds for its safe return on receiving it. When the queen passes through the city a fourth robe is necessary, but, as this seldom happens, it is bought only when the occasion arises.

Cambria Freeman.

EBENSBURG, CAMBRIA CO., PA.

FRIDAY, - - - - - MAY 15, 1896.

SENATOR TELLER, Rep., of Colorado, declares that he will not support any presidential candidate on a gold or doubtful platform.

ON Thursday morning of last week, Herman W. Mudgett, better known as H H. Holmes, was executed on the gallows at Philadelphia, at 10:12 o'clock. Holmes showed marvelous nerve on the gallows and for hours before the execution. He shook hands with the priests and the officials just before the noose was fixed about his neck. He died declaring that he was not guilty of the murder of the Pitezel's.

THE Wilson tariff, according to the platform of the Indiana Republicans, "has almost destroyed our American industries"—meaning specifically American manufactures The official reports of the treasury department show that for the nine months of the fiscal year ending with March the exports of American manufactures reached the unprecedented total of $163,187,926, which is five millions more than the figures for the whole 12 months of 1892, when McKinley reciprocity was in full blast; and the fiscal year 1891 92 was the crack year of McKinleyism.

THE members of the house at Washington on Friday voted themselves $100 a month for clerk hire during the recesses of congress. Under a resolution passed by the Fifty-second congress the members of subsequent congresses received $100 per month for clerk hire during the sessions. On Friday the proposition to extend this allowance to members during the recesses of congress came up in the form of the Hartman resolution, adversely reported from the committee on accounts. It occasioned some very sharp debate. It had the support of Mr. Cannon, the chairman of the appropriation committee, but was opposed by Mr. Dingley, the floor leader of the majority.

The resolution was amended so as to except members who are chairmen of committees having annual clerks, and as amended was passed 130 to 108. Our lawmakers can always be counted upon as letting no opportunity escape of enriching themselves at the peoples expense. It is only a small steal, however.

SEVEEAL American citizens on the filibustering schooner, Competitor, captured by the Spanish authorities of Cuba, have been tried by court martia and sentenced to be shot. The Americans were not bearing aams. Secretary Olney has entered a firm protest against the execution of the sentence. He has pointed out to the Spanish authorities, both at Havana and Madrid, that the drum-head court martial trial is in violation of treaties existing between this government and Spain. In conformity with those treaties he has also demanded that the death sentence in the case of the American prisoners be abrogated and that they be granted a trial by civil tribunal.

Captain-General Weyler, of Cuba, has indicated a reluctance to accede to Secretary Olney's demand. It is expected, however, that the Madrid authorities will direct Weyler to comply with the request of the American government. In that event, it is said, Weyler threatens to resign. Should the Spanish authorities proceed with the execution of the Americans, it is entirely likely that war will follow. Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, the new American consul general, is hastening to Havana. A number of American war-ships are likewise in readiness to proceed immediately to Cuba if their presence should become necessary.

This event has created considerable excitement in Spain and among the Spanish in Cuba.

PROBABLY since Congresses first assembled at Washington, says the Philadelphia *Record*, there never was one which had greater opportunity than the Fifty-fourth Congress to afford the country helpful legislation, or which more utterly failed to grasp its opportunity. It would have greatly diminished the chances of electing a Republican Congress and President in November if this Congress had followed the recommendations of the President with regard to financial legislation. It would have been almost as hazardous to have adopted some temporary measure, like a beer tax, a tax on coffee or tea, or a slight tax on sugar, to cover the lessening deficit in the federal revenue. But notwithstanding the early admission that the operations of the treasury would have been facilitated and large sums of money saved by arming the treasury with the power to issue low-interest short-term bonds, and that more revenue was an immediate necessity, partisanship overbore every other consideration. Speaker Reed announced at the beginning of the session that it would be a do-nothing congress. He has made good his prophecy. Nothing has been done except to make heavy appropriations, and by neglect and delay to prolong a season of industrial distress and apprehension in the hope therefrom to reap political advantage.

These are hard words, but they are true. If they need confirmation beyond that which the facts bear on their face the confirmation is to be found in the admissions of Republican leaders that their inactivity has been deliberate. They have only attempted such general legislation as they knew could not receive the sanction of both houses of congress, or if passed by both houses, could not receive the approval of the executive. This may be grand politics, but it is death to trade and industry.

THERE are a few Democrats, Tom Johnson among the number, says the Harrisburg *Pivriot*, who are inclined to believe the Democratic party is doomed to utter rout and confusion at the polls this year. This has given the Republicans a great deal of joy, and they are publishing it far and wide.

It is sometimes best to let the enemy deceive himself with his false hopes, as to do so is more certainly to defeat him. In this case it is not necessary. Platt of New York a few weeks ago advised his party that it would not have a walk over this year, and it won't The party secured a lease of power on false pretenses. It was elected to ease the burdens of the treasury, to give relief to trade and labor in a word, to cure and amend the "Democratic times" of which so much complaint had been made There was no curing done and no amending. When the present congress met President Cleveland called its attention to the condition of the treasury and announced his willingness to co-operate in any way that would assure the so much needed relief, but the Republican congress has done nothing and talks of adjourning

It is quite true the Democratic party did not carry out all the pledges made to the people in 1892, in regard to the tariff. but it did the best that was possible with it, and also repealed the Sherman silver law, which is responsible for the condition of the treasury to-day. That the Democratic party is "broken, discredited and degraded" is not true. Every state convention held by it has been enthusiastic and hopeful. It is discredited only by Republicans and the professional "soap" hunters. It is not degraded by any action springing from itself within the last four years On the surface it is not as strong as it was in 1892, owing chiefly to the revulsion of feeling and ideas which so generally follow a presidential election, but anybody who imagines the Republicans will have a walk over makes a great mistake.

McKinley will be nominated on the McKinley tariff platform for there is a protective tariff in operation now. There was never anything more costly to the industries of this country than McKinleyism. It defeated the Republican party in 1892 and if it do not defeat it in 1896 it will be because in some mysterious way the people have been deprived of the power of reasoning. On the other hand with a good candidate the Democrats can win against him. The money of the Hanna syndicate can buy a good many votes, but with a man like Campbell, or Russell, or Carlisle, or Whitney, or Hill, or Morrison as the Democratic candidate on a gold and moderate tariff platform plenty of fight will be found in the old party.

THE *Gosling* this week in explaining the cause of the hard times sums it up as follows:

"A glance over Uncle Sam's balance sheet shows that from 1866 up to 1894 the excess of revenues over expenditures was many millions yearly. On June 30, 1893, after Mr. Cleveland had been seated, the surplus was $2,341,674 29. One year later the deficit had run up to $69,803,260. Quite a difference, wasn't there? Then on June 30, 1895, the deficit was $42,825,049.29. The interest bearing debt had also been increased by this time from $585,037,000 in 1893 to $716,202,060 in 1895.

These deficits were caused by a scarcity of funds and the scarcity of funds was caused by the failure of the revenue system to meet the needs of the government; the low revenue or tariff measures were made by the Democratic congress, and the Democratic party, therefore, is alone responsible for the hard times."

Instead of which the *Gosling* should have told its readers that the revenues commenced to fall off the year the McKinley bill became a law, and kept on doing so until it was repealed. In the four years under the McKinley law the revenues fell off $157,000,000 from what they were the preceding four years. The billion congress at the same time added $70,000,000 to fixed expenditures. The year before the McKinley law went into effect the customs receipts were $229,000,000, while the last year of the law they hed fallen to $131,000,000, showing a loss of $98,000,000, and instead of there being a surplus on June 30th, 1893, Harrison's administration had juggled the $50,000,000 bank note redemption fund from a debt to an asset and even then had the bond plates prepared to issue bonds to meet the deficiency that was staring the government in the face, and which Cleveland's administration had to meet.

R. G. DUN & Co.'s *Weekly Review of Trade* last week says: That exports of $5,850,000 gold this week have produced no monetary disturbance is at once proof of the soundness of financial conditions and of the prevailing confidence in better things to come. It does not matter whether gold is required for Russia or anywhere else; it would not go from this rather than other countries if there were not balances to meet.

Much of the hesitation at present is due to temporarily reduced demand in some industries, and in iron and steel the power of the new combinations is being generally tested by a refusal of orders, so that production exceeds consumption, but consumption exceeds new buying. The general irregularity of prices and slackness of demand for finished products do not prevent the marking up of prices by combinations, but are largely due to doubt whether such prices as are fixed can be maintained. Pig iron is weaker at the east and also at Pittsburg, tin steady and lead slightly lower, and American tin plate 30 cents below foreign.

The textile manufacturers say the situation is trying. Cotton mills have a fairly active demand, though not equal to their normal output. Print cloths are an eighth higher. Woolen manufacturers find prices of wool sagging both here and abroad. The decline at London reached about 5 per cent, while the average of quotations by Coates Bros., Philadelphia, was nearly 1 per cent lower May 2, and prices have been further reduced by concessions to clear off stocks.

Washington Letter.

Washington, May 9, 1896.—The firm of Platt and Quay, president-makers, has disolved partnership. Mark Hanna fried so much fat out of the expect-to-be protected manufacturers that he drove them out of business and captured the prize for his man, McKinley—the St. Louis convention will only be a sort of ratification meeting Probably just to show his versatility Mr Platt is trying the same tactics by which he made such a miserable failure four years ago. Then he tried to use Blaine to prevent the nomination of McKinley. But Quay isn't helping him. If Quay was compelled to choose between the devil and Harrison he would vote for his satanic majesty any time, and Reed is of the same mind in that respect. But there is every reason to believe that Quay has had an understanding with McKinley all the time, and that he is not doing any worrying over the situation. It is said that Platt accuses Quay of treachery towards both himself and Reed, and that Reed is inclined to take the same view.

Senator Hill has during the present session proven himself to be one of the most dangerous men in the senate to tackle in a running debate. The last man to discover this was senator Wolcott, of Colorado, who tried to rescue Senator Pettigrew, of South Dakota, from the ridicule which Senator Hill was heaping on him by reading newspaper extracts of the humiliating experience he had at the Republican convention of his state. After sarcastically referring to Wolcott as "this sensitive senator" and "this defender of decency," and asking where he was when Pettigrew was abusing senators and the president, Mr. Hill exclaimed: "And where was my friend—my English friend from Colorado, who has tributes for English statesmen, English soldiers, English policies and everything English, but not one word for an American policy or a United States citizenship?"

Republican stump speakers during the coming campaign should not be allowed to overlook a few remarks made this week in the house by their chairman of the house finance committee, Representative Cannon, of Illinois. Mr. Cannon said that by its enormous appropriations this congress was mortgaging the future receipts of the government to the extent of $100,000,000, which meant that the next administration would have to borrow money just as this one has to do, no matter what sort of tariff law may be enacted. Mr. Cannon spoke a truth that cannot be too strongly impressed upon the minds of the voters who must choose between Republican extravagance and Democratic economy.

Sergeant-at Arms Bright, of the senate, is regarded as good authority on things congressional. When he was asked what time he thought congress would adjourn he replied: "If not by the first of June, then not until the first of October." The general impression around the capitol is that adjournment will take place on or near the first named date, although the house has adopted a resolution naming May 18.

Representative Kleburg, of Texas, who was this week sworn in as the successor of the late Representative Crain, takes no stock in the movement of the gold standard Democrats, to secede from the party in that state. He says on the subject. "The movement on the part of a number of gold standard Democrats to secede from the party in Texas is to be deplored, and I regard their course as very unwise. I am pronounced in my views on the money question, and have combatted the free silver doctrines to the best of my ability. My district is almost solid for sound money, and yet none of my free silver friends abstained from voting for me because of my views on finance. I recognize the right of the majority to govern, and that is the general sentiment of the voters of Texas We have issues of higher importance than the money question. That issue ought not and will not divide the Democracy. There is no other party to which our people can turn. We are not ready to embrace the wild schemes of the populists, and after all these years of contending with the Republicans we do not now propose to surrender to them. But there is no cause for alarm about Texas. The Democracy is safe and will give the Chicago nominees the biggest vote of any state in the Union."

One of the amusing incidents of the Republican campaign for that nomination is the trotting out at this late day, when McKinley looks a sure winner, of Speaker Reed's war record, which, by the way, was not very sanguinary. He was acting assistant paymaster in the navy from April 1864 to November 1865, and was attached to the Mississippi squadron. The amusing part of the record is the attempt to credit Reed with the achievements of that squadron, which he had about as much to do with directing as one of the "powder monkeys."

An order extending the civil service rules to all branches of the government service has been issued.

Deserting a Coal Town.

Hazleton, Pa., May 10.—The town of Stockton is rapidly becoming depopulated, although two weeks ago it was one of the liveliest places in the coal regions. The remaining employes of Lindemann & Skeer, at Stockton, last evening were notified to tear up all the tracks and remove them from the mines. This means the drowning of the colliery and its entire abandonment, throwing nearly 1000 men and boys out of employment. There is still a large amount of unmined coal, but the expense of mining it is so great that the operators cannot afford to pay the enormous royalties demanded by the land owners. As there seems no hope of future work, the people are moving away from the town.

Charged With Matricide.

Durham, Conn., May 11.—What is believed to be a brutal murder, the result of a drunken quarrel, took place here early yesterday morning. The victim is Mrs. Margret Murphy, aged 68, and her son Clarence, aged 35, is now under arrest on suspicion of having inflicted the blows which caused death. Both mother and son had been drinking incessantly for the past ten days, and as Clarence Murphy is known to be very violent when drunk, and has frequently before beaten his mother, it is thought they again quarreled.

Double Tragedy in Trenton.

Trenton, May 11.—The fashionable end of Trenton, which is on West State street, beyond the state house, was startled by a double tragedy on Saturday. Joseph Graham, a carpenter, shot Annie Anderson, a domestic, in the dining room of C. I. Baumgartner, a well-known dry goods merchant, at 190 West State street. He then put a bullet in his own head, and in twenty minutes both were dead. The cause of the tragedy was jealousy. Graham was a discarded lover and the girl had gone to Trenton to get rid of him.

CHINA has paid Japan the $40,000,000 war indemnity.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Greater New York Bill a Law.

Albany, May 12.—Governor Morton has signed the Greater New York bill. Under the terms of the bill all the municipal corporations and parts of municipal corporations, other than counties, within the following territory, to wit: The county of Kings, the county of Richmond, the city of Long Island City, the towns of Newton, Flushing and Jamaca, and that part of the town of Hempstead, in the county of Queens, which is westerly of a straight line drawn from the southeasterly line of the town of Flushing through the middle of the channel between Rockaway Beach and Shelter Island, in the county of Queens, to the Atlantic ocean, are consolidated with the municipal corporations known as the mayor, aldermen and commonality of the city of New York. The consolidation, however, does not go into effect until January 1, 1898. In the meantime, however, the commission for which the bill provides will preside. There are at present living in 600 square miles of land in and around New York over 4 000,000 people The territory embraced in greater New York had by the state census of 1892 a population of 2,985,422, and the natural increase in inhabitants since that enumeration would make the present population over 3,100,000.

Too Costly.

According to the Harrisburg *Patriot*, which pretends to talk by the book, the senatorial investigating committee, which took a slight peep into the municipal affairs in Philadelphia and took a step or two in the same direction in Pittsburg, is entirely discredited by the Philadelphia Municipal League, which will not give another cent toward the committee's expenses These expenses are said to reach $70,000, which the next legislature will be asked to provide for. It is said that Senator Quay himself has paid one hotel bill of $15,000 incurred by the committee, on assurance of Senator Andrews that it was all the bill of the kind there was. and has since received another bill from the same hostelry for $10,000.

So far the Philadelphia Municipal League has put up $8,000, it is said, and will positively stop there. The committee has not had a session for over three months, and those who are not friendly to it say there will be a warm discussion when the report of its work, accompanied by a big bill for expenses, is submitted to the next legislature. The *Patriot* says Governor Hastings would not sanction an appropriation if the legislature should pass it.

Our Fleet May go to Havana.

New York, May 10.—It is believed by many persons here, especially among the members of the Cuban Junta, that the assembling of about a dozen of the United States war vessels in New York waters indicates prompt action on the part of the government touching affairs in Cuba. The fact is recalled as significant that Secretary Onley recently declared that in the opinion of the president the "Cuban question" had reached a more acute stage than at any time since the outbreak of the insurrection

There is reason also for believing that there will not be any temporizing with General Weiler and that if any of the condemned Competitor prisoners known to be American citizens are executed without a review of their cases by a civil tribunal that the fleet may be ordered to rendezvous at Havana instead of this harbor.

General Fitzhugh Lee has been directed by the authorities at Washington to go to Havana at once, and will sail from Tampa, Fla.. at the earliest possible time.

Four Men Burned to Death.

Ashland, Wis., May 9.—Four men lost their lives in a fire to-day, and the Shores Lumber Company's mill, the largest on Chequamegon Bay, together with several thousand feet of lumber dock, upon which was piled 19,000,000 feet of lumber, were destroyed. The fire started in W. R Durfee's lumber dock. The mill was surrounded by water, with wooden tramways leading to the shore. When the flames burst out, all the men but four succeeded in reaching the tramways. Among them was John Nolander. It is presumed that a spark from some employe's pipe started the flames in the lumber piles on Durfee's dock.

Figured approximately the loss on milling property and docks will reach $275,000; on lumber $228,000. The bodies of three men have already been recovered, and another man is missing.

Fires in the Northwest.

L'anse, Mich., May 11.—The fire which swept through this place Saturday night destroyed the entire town, except a few scattered houses. About 300 persons are homeless. The loss is roughly estimated at $750,000. The heaviest individual losses are those of the L'Anse lumber company, mill and 4,000,000 feet of lumber, and the South Shore and Atlantic railway company. A number of logging camps and several hundred thousand feet of standing pine have been destroyed in Alger county by the forest fires that have raged since Thursday. The village of Munising was saved with the greatest difficulty. The fires are still burning.

Spain Admits Defeat.

Madrid, May 11.—At a meeting of the Conservative senators and deputies, the premier, Senor Canovas del Castillo, declared that it would be impossible to introduce reforms for Cuba before the situation there had become normal again.

He admitted that the Spanish arms alone would fail to terminate the war, but he said that he believed that the discouragement of the insurgents and the prevalence of racial hatred among them would contribute largely to the cessation of hostilities.

Baby Killed in a Railroad Wreck.

Savannah, May 12.—An excursion train from Jacksonville on the Florida Central and Peninsula railroad jumped the track at Anderson, five miles from this city, yesterday afternoon. The tender was first derailed, dragging three coaches and baggage and mail car with it. There were about 150 passengers on the train, about forty of whom were more or less injured. The greater number were bruised or slightly cut. A young child of Mrs. F. Nathans, of Brunswick, was killed.

IN HANCOCK'S MEMORY

An Equestrian Statue Unveiled at Washington.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND PRESENT.

He Made a Brief Speech and Presided Over the Exercises—Senator Palmer the Chief Orator—A Grandson of Hancock Did the Unveiling.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—With imposing ceremonies the heroic equestrian statue of Major General Winfield Scott Hancock was unveiled here before an immense gathering which included President Cleveland, Vice President Stevenson and representatives of the supreme court, the diplomatic corps, both bodies of congress and army veterans and colleagues of the late general. The unveiling was preceded by a military demonstration. Four companies of artillery marching as infantry, four companies of marines, with the Marine band, light battery, Third artillery, a squadron from the Sixth cavalry, the full district militia and numerous military organizations, including the Second Army corps, at the head of which General Hancock achieved his greatest victories, participated in the parade. Brigadier General Brooke, commanding the department of the Dakotas, U. S. A., was the grand marshal of the day.

The exercises opened with a prayer by Rt. Rev. James Y. Satterlee, bishop of Washington. The principal address was delivered by Senator John M. Palmer of Illinois, major general of the United States volunteers during the war. A salute was fired as the unveiling of the statue took place. Seven hundred invited friends gathered at the scene, including many relatives and friends of the deceased general.

The statue stands in the heart of the business district of Washington. It is the work of Henry J. Ellicott, the noted sculptor, and its total height is 33 feet 8 inches, the distance from the plynth to the top of the hat is 14 feet 6 inches, and the height of the pedestal from the ground to the plynth is 19 feet 2 inches. The proportions of the rider are such that if standing erect he would measure 10 feet in height.

President Cleveland presided over the exercises, making a brief address and announcing the programme to an audience, which included members of the cabinet, representatives of all the official circles, the judiciary, congress, diplomatic and army and navy.

Gywnn Hancock, a grandson of the general and his only male descendant, in the gray uniform of a West Point cadet, pulled a rope and the flags fell away from the statue, revealing it to the crowds, who gave three cheers, while cannon boomed a salute.

U. P. MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The General Convention Now In Session at Erie.

ERIE, Pa., May 13.—With the address of welcome by Miss Elizabeth Pollock of Erie, the general missionary society of the United Presbyterian church opened here. One hundred and seventy delegates were present. Mrs. Arney S. Biddle of Jersey City, first vice president, responded on behalf of officers and delegates. Other matters were simply of routine, and consisted of the responses in behalf of foreign missionaries by Mrs. Adlia Brown Ashenhurst, and on behalf of home missions by Mrs Minnie H. Speer of Chicago. The president, Jean S. Sands, in her address spoke of the new woman.

Today reports are being heard from all officers.

Congressman Acheson Renominated.

PITTSBURG, May 13.—The Twenty-fourth district congressional conference yesterday renominated E. F. Acheson of Washington for congress and elected the congressman and Charles H. Seaton of Uniontown delegates to the St. Louis convention. The alternates are John R Byrne and Frank M Fuller of Fayette county. The delegates were not instructed.

Gardner Likely to Die.

ERIE, Pa., May 13.—The cases of the commonwealth against Mrs. Nellis and Edward Gardner for poisoning and conspiracy against Peter Nellis, at Girard, will not be tried at this term of court, but was postponed until September on account of Gardner's health. The latter will scarcely live until his case comes up.

CONGRESSMAN MONEY, of Miss., and Hall, of Mo., who recently exchanged courtesies by throwing inkstands and epithets at each other, have been reconciled.

THE steamer Harry Brown, of Pittsburg, was sunk by the explosion of the boiler, near Vicksburg. Eleven lives were lost and a number of persons injured.

MONTANA'S state Republican convention has declared for free silver.

The Biggest Fool at Large.

Is the individual who persistently neglects his health, and the means of preserving and restoring it. Many persons who are not constitutional idiots do this. They are genuine objects of compassion as well as censure. A failure of appetite, loss of sleep and flesh, impaired digestion, an uncertain condition of the bowels and symptoms of billiousness are so many warnings of the approach of disease. To disregard them is abject folly, which offended nature in due time punishes severely, if not fatally. That genuine and thoroughly reliable preventive of bodily mischief in the shape of chronic disease, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, will, if resorted to in time, avert those disorders, to the removal of which it is a wo fully adequate. Among these are chronic indigestion, liver complaint, kidney troubles, constipation, nervousness, rheumatism and malaria.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the following petitions for transfer of liquor licenses granted by the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cambria county for the year 1896 have been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Court and will be presented to said Court for its consideration on WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3, 1896:

Petition of Richard Ivory, a resident of Chest Springs borough, for transfer of retail license granted to W. J. O'Donnell, on Columbia street, in said borough of Chest Springs.

Petition of Beuane Kirkpatrick, a resident of the township of Carroll, for transfer of retail license granted to Matthew Weakland, in said township of Carroll.

Petition of Spelgelhalter a resident of Gallitzin borough, for transfer of retail license granted to Henry Seymore, on Portage street, in said Borough of Gallitzin.

S. W. DAVIS,
Clerk Quarter Sessions.

Ebensburg, May 12, 1896. 15 3t.

Good News Indeed.

A good many of our influential citizens have been trying for for some time to get the well-

known Specialist in all Chronic and Private Diseases, Dr. M. Salm. of Columbus, Ohio, to return to Ebensburg, and make regular visits, as heretofore. The institution to which he belongs has at last, on account of a deluge of petitions and letters, consented to give us his valuable services again, every four weeks regularly, on Tuesday, beginning Tuesday, May 26th. Those suffering with Chronic Disease of any kind whatever, had better call on him the above date at the Cambria House. Consultation and examination free. ma 15 2t

B. & B.

Have You Any

DRY GOODS TO BUY?

Wash Goods—Dress Goods—Silks—anything—no matter what—send here for samples and let them and the prices prove whether it's any to your pocketbook's interest to buy here. as we state most emphatically and positively it is, and as you yourself will acknowledge when you see the goods.

SAMPLES don't cost you anything and they'll tell a lot about styles and values and this store's way of doing business, that will be well for you to know, we think, no matter if you do live miles away.

Write for the below mentioned and let them indicate what we mean:

SILK GINGHAMS, 25c.—the choicest selected designs and the best original quality that used to bring 50c. We have some others at 18c.

SILKS—large assorted lot of stylish warp prints at $1.00—everyone of them worth more money—some a good deal more.

A thousand yards of 32 inch Black Velour for making the stylish caps, $1.25 a yard. We don't believe its equal was ever sold under $2.00.

Send for samples elegant foreign Dress Goods and Suitings, 50c. to $2.50; or if you want something less costly, the American made goods—all wool copies of high-class imported good 25c. and 35c.; and send for our catalogue—that's free also.

BOGGS & BUHL,

Allegheny, Pa.

Assignee's Sale

OF VALUABLE

REAL ESTATE!

BY virtue of an order of the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria county, Pennsylvania, to me directed, I will expose to public sale at the BRANT HOTEL, in Lilly, Pennsylvania, on

SATURDAY, MAY 30, 1896,

at one o'clock, P. M., the following described real estate, viz:

No. 1. The undivided ha f interest in a piece or parcel of land in Washington township, Cambria county, Pennsylvania, adjoining lands of John Leahy and A. H. Slayman and the Cambria Mining and Manufacturing Company and others, containing

84 ACRES

more or less.

No 2 A piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Washington, aforesaid, adjoining lands of Peter Moyer, deceased, and others containing

20 ACRES

more or less, and having thereon erected a

TWO-STORY FRAME HOUSE.

No. 2. The undivided third in terest in a lot of ground situate in the Borough of Lilly, in said county, adjoining lots of F. M George and F. A. Thompson, fronting on Railr ad street, and running back to Main street, and having thereon erected a large

TWO-STORIED FRAME STORE ROOM.

No 4. A lot of ground situate on Railroad street, in said Borough of Lilly, adjoining lots of John L a y, Jr., George K. Mackintosh and others and having thereon erected a

TWO-STORIED FRAME DWELLING HOUSE.

TERMS OF SALE.

Ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid in hand at the time of sale, the balance of one-third on confirmation of sale; one-third in one year, and one third in two years from the confirmation of s . Deferred payments to bear interest, and to be secured by judgment bond and mortgage of purchaser.

GEORGE FOX,
Assignee of M. A. McGONIGLE.

Altoona, P., May 6th, 1896. ma 8 3t.

Orphans' Court Sale

OF VALUABLE

REAL ESTATE!

BY virtue of an order of the Orphan's Court of Cambria county, Pennsylvania, to me directed, I will expose to public sale on the premises in Clearfield township, in said County of Cambria, on

FRIDAY, MAY 22, 1896,

at 2 o'clock, P. M.

All that certain piece, parcel or tract of land situate in the township of Clearfield, County of Cambria and state of Pennsylvania, on the public road between Chest Springs and Ashville, adjoining lands of Sutton heirs, David Litzinger heirs, John S McHugh, Thomas Miller and others, containing

200 ACRES

more or less, and having thereon erected on one end of the land a large TWO-STORIED FRAME HOUSE and large bank barn and out buildings, and on the other end of the land a

TWO-STORIED FRAME HOUSE

and barn and outbuildings. All buildings being in good repair.

If it be desired by purchasers the said land will be divided into two parts by a designated line and sold in separate pieces if thereby better prices can be obtained than by selling the land in one whole piece.

TERMS OF SALE.

Ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid in hand at the time of sale: the balance of one-third to be paid at the confirmation of sale; one-third in one year and the remaining third in two years from the confirmation of sale. Deferred payments to bear interest, and to be secured by judgment bond and mortgage of purchaser

ANNA HURK,
Administratrix of Edward Burk, deceased.

Altoona, Pa., April 30th, 1896. ma 1 3t.

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Mail Express, daily	5 17 p m
Philadelphia Express, daily	8 12 p m

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Johnstown Accommodation, week days	8 14 a m
Pacific Express, daily	8 37 a m
Way Passenger, daily	2 36 p m
Mail Train, daily	4 26 p m
Fast Line, daily	8 28 p m
Johnstown Accommodation, week days	8 34 p m

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Trains leave Ebensburg as follows: 7.20 and 5.30 p. m. and arrive at Cresson at 7.57 a. m. and 4.05 p. m. Leave Cresson at 9.30 a. m and 5.35 p. m., and arrive at Ebensburg at 10.06 a. m., and 6.10 p. m.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Mountain House, Cresson, will ne 25th.

d Conrad, of Loretto, has been a pension.

Preston Tibbott, of Cambria town- ill with pneumonia.

Carl Ravinus, the jeweler, took a Altoona on Tuesday.

ines bring 10 cents per bushel, in rts of Bedford county.

enty cars of coal were hauled out of Klick region last Friday.

Pittsburg *Press* says 1,000 tons of ives monthly on that town.

F. A. Rock, of Carrolltown, spent ents in town on Wednesday.

. E. Kaylor, of Allegheny town- s a visitor to Ebensburg on Tues-

J. S. Foley, editor of the Carroll- wn, was a visitor to Ebensburg on day.

unknown man was run over by a train at Ben's Creek Wednesday ntly killed.

Peet-zell, the wife of a Greensburg, walked out of the shop a week ago has not yet returned.

rs. Deany & Kimball, of this will ship a car load of horses to delphia to-day (Friday.)

are now 83 inmates in the alms- Good weather always thins out ber of that institution.

ge Barker, of this place, was assist- ge Bell of Blair county, in holding Hollidaysburg on Tuesday.

are 909 inmates at the state In- ium at Warren, although the in- was built to accommodate only

aylor oil is applied to a wart once a a month the wart will entirely dis- In many cases it will not require a time.

nitary convention under the aus- the state board of health will be Williamsport on Thursday and May 21 and 22.

J. M. Hemminger, manager of the legraph office in this place, re- on Tuesday from a visit to his in Fairport, Ohio.

Thursday, May 7th, 1896, Samuel d Lizzie Gunder were married at dence of the officiating clergyman, Leech, in this place.

Kilduff, wife of James Kilduff, of d on Wednesday, May 6th, aged years. This was Mr. Kilduff's wife, his first having died in 1892.

ry Dumm, Sr., of Barr township, king on a new barn for Isaac in Blacklick township, was strick- apoplexy. His condition is seri-

L. Frederick, the saddler and ker, left with his family on rs for East Liverpool, Ohio, will continue in the same busi-

fine walnut logs are passing er the Perry county railroad, con- Germany. It will be many years ees of the same size can be grown. them are more than a century old.

Anne M. Watts, daughter of the d and Annie M. Watts, of Gallit- at Allegheny, Pa., on Friday Her remains were interred in the etery at Gallitzin on Sunday af-

w telephone line will be erected rsonville, Clearfield county, to Hastings, Spangler and Barnes- county, taking in Philipsburg, , Hostetale, DuBois, Madera r points en route.

Shoemaker, Esq., of this place, a telegram from New York, on day, informing him that his wife, in that city visiting her sister, is ill. Mr. Shoemaker left for New Wednesday afternoon.

ah Faistick, until four weeks ago t of Philipsburg, Centre county, ction of a sunstroke Saturday and died from the effects of it at ock that night at the home of his am Faistick, in Dale borough.

ons who insist on putting cards e in the papers ought to be careful the wording of their grateful effu- Coudersport the other day a anked the community for "as- in the death of our dear mother."

s. A. C. and Vincent Buck, of s, who have been seriously ill with fever, at the home of their father, Buck, of Carrolltown, are both ing well and unless something un- happens have every hope for re-

E. M. Bowman, of this place, who epted a call to the Second Presby- urch at Braddock, on Sunday his farewell sermon to the Pres- congregation in this place. Peo- denominations are sorry to see

Humphrey Francis, an old resi- Cambria township, died at his ne four miles south of Ebens- Thursday of last week. He was early settlers of this neighbor- had reached the advanced age of

an Devlin, a well-known citizen ana county, Indiana county, dropped dead Stephens' grist mill, in that Friday. Devlin was about 60 ge and his death was caused by ease. He is survived by a wife ly.

an may have a hundred virtues, one fault, and this one fault may ed and condemned more than all are praised. In fact many peo- e carping, looking for rottenness, ong over unnoticed everything eautiful and clean.

rgent T. J. Rover, of Portage, was ge Thomas Cullen, on ay, on a charge of selling liquor a license. At a hearing before John Green, the accused was re to furnish bail in the sum of $400 appearance at the June term of

count of a difference of opinion the borough authorities of Gal- the Electric Light company of ge, in regard to the compensation ric Light company should have ing up the streets, the service of s for the time being has been dis- ed.

C. Diamond's store at Dunlo, this was entered by thieves the other and goods to the amount of $100 car- ay. Mr. Diamond conducts a merchandise business and meat and the robbers selected a good of groceries, tobacco, cigars, shoes, etc.

Cresson *Record* says that Mrs. of Summit, assisted by her amiable Miss Myers, is putting her house in summer boarders. This is a fa- resort, and was built in 1833, when ality was in the heyday of its glory, the chief point on the Old Portage ad across the mountain.

—The general spring schedule of the Pennsylvania railroad will go into effect Sunday, May 17, and with it a new train to be known as the Niagara and Pittsburg express. It will leave Philadelphia at 8:24 in the morning, arrive in Altoona about 3:30 in the afternoon and Pittsburg at 7:30. A pullman buffet parlor car and coaches will be run on this train.

—The division encampment of the National guard of this state will be held at Lewistown, July 18 to 25. The time was fixed several week ago, and the place on Thursday evening, by Adjutant General Stewart. General orders were issued on Friday from the headquarters of the guard in Harrisburg announcing the time and place of the encampment.

—During the progress of a prolonged spree, Fred Leitenberger ended his life at his home on Power street, Johnstown, at 11 o'clock Saturday night by cutting his throat and his left wrist with a razor. He had been abusing his wife, and she ran for police assistance. On returning to the house with an officer, she found her drink-crazed husband dying from self-inflicted wounds.

—James Fertenberger, of Altoona, wants to sue his wife for bigamy. He appeared at the mayor's office in that city on Monday for the purpose. Mrs. Fertenberger, her husband alleges, eloped Saturday with a one armed Italian named Joe Allen, and was married at Gallitzin. The couple have a family of five children. The husband was advised to go to an alderman and make information.

—Robert Mitchell and Joseph Flude, of this place, are the owners of a 400 acre tract of land on the mountains in Cambria county on which hundreds of sugar trees are growing. Sam Kerr, of Armstrong township, wants to take his sugar-making outfit over there next spring and tap a few hundred of the maples. No fellow in the state understands the business any better than Mr. Kerr.—*Indiana Messenger.*

—The barn of Harrison P. Wilson, at Fosterville, Westmoreland county, was, with its contents, destroyed by fire one night last week. Between 10 and 11 o'clock that night Mr. Wilson was awakened by the blaze, and hastening to the barn, only succeeded in saving a bridle, and in that effort had the hair on his head badly singed. The origin is attributed to an incendiary. The loss will be about $1,200.

—The bodies of a woman and child were taken from the Monongahela river, near West Elizabeth, Thursday afternoon. The child was held tightly in the woman's arms. It is supposed to have been suicide on the part of the woman. The bodies had evidently been in the water for weeks, and identification will be difficult. A woman disappeared from West Elizabeth several weeks ago, but her name was not learned.

—The wife of a brakeman named Miller, living in Altoona, while suffering from insanity, jumped from the second story window of her home at an early hour last Thursday morning. She ran to the railroad and climbed to the top of a lofty signal pole. She was taken back home by the police and given in charge of her husband. She has been out of her mind for some time and talks incessantly and unintelligibly on religion.

—The people living in close proximity to the new Radebaugh tunnel, who contemplate raising chickens, are thinking seriously about bringing suit against the contractors for damages, owing to the fact that not a chicken can be hatched as long as blasting is done there. The concussion has the same effect on the eggs while in the state of incubation that the clap of thunder has, and everybody knows that that kills the chicken in the egg.—*Dairy Signal.*

—Sheriff Coulter's residence in the East ward, was entered sometime on Saturday night or Sunday morning by thieves, who effected an entrance through a window. With the exception of some cigars that they found in a valise and a pocket book containing fifty cents belonging to a girl, the expedition was without any reward. It is supposed that they were scared off in some manner as a suit of clathes and an overcoat that had been laid out were left behind.

—While playing on the railroad track at Valentine's furnace, near Bellefonte, the other day, 6-year-old Frank Kirk was run over by an engine. He jumped in front of the moving engine and was knocked down and fell lengthwise on the track between the rails, with his feet toward the engine. The engine passed over him and in an instant he was on his feet without a scratch. The seat of his trousers was torn off, and the heel of his left shoe was ground to powder by the wheels.

—The Pennsylvania Railroad company has laid off a large number of men, particularly section laborers, on nearly all divisions. The suspensions are only temporary, and the men will be recalled as soon as the freight business begins to pick up sufficiently to justify the increase in expenses. On the middle division the saving in expenses by laying off section men alone amounts to over $2,000 per day. On all divisions a saving of at least $7,000 a day, or $210,000 a month can be effected in this manner.

—Congressman Hicks introduced in the house on Thursday of last week a bill to "correct the military record of Samuel Bequeath, of Bedford, and to remove the charge of desertion therefrom;" and a bill to "correct the military record of Henry Cameron, of Martinsburg, and to remove the charge of desertion therefrom." Records are corrected in congress without the scrutiny they would receive in the War Department, and pensions, the great promoter of patriotism in time of peace, will likely follow the "corrected" records.

—A neat swindle is being worked with much success in many towns. A woman book agent appears in town and goes from house to house leaving books for examination. Next day a man calls to see if they are wanted, and if not he takes them away with him. Usually they are not wanted. A few days later the woman agent appears again and on being told that the man has taken away the book weeps copiously, says the villain has been collecting her books all over town, pleads poverty and accepts the proffered compensation.

—The State Medical society will hold its 46th annual session in Harrisburg, convening on the 12th inst. President W. S. Foster, of Pittsburg, will preside. The first day will be devoted to preliminary business and papers, with a reception at the Pennsylvania State hospital in the evening. On the second day there will be receptions at the Harrisburg hospital and the executive mansion, while on the third day the Dauphin county medical society will entertain at the Commonwealth. Over 200 physicians are expected to be present from all over the state and there will be the usual interesting papers.

—It is reported that a traffic arrangement as been made between the Pennsylvania and Pittsburg & Eastern Railroad companies which gives the latter the use of the former's tracks from Cherrytree to Spangler. If this true, it settles the question of another railroad being built up the river any further than Cherrytree. The Beech Creek railroad company has a similar arrangement with the Pennsylvania, giving it the right to use the latter's tracks from Mahaffey to Patton. It is now using the track to Patton and expects to make use of the Hastings branch when the Beech Creek coal on this side of the Ridge is opened.

—The South Fork *Record* states that the shortage of Postmaster McDonald, of that place has been made up, but it has not been decided whether or not he will be retained as postmaster. His friends are doing all in their power in his behalf. It is the general opinion of the people that the shortage occurred through a business transaction in which he used Uncle Sam's money. He bears a good reputation.

—A Gypsy carnival is being held at Milesburg, Centre county, this week. There are about 30 carnivals with 66 horses and more than 100 people encamped there. They have been gathering there for the past two weeks. The king of the band is that veteran nomad and aborigine, James Guy and to meet with him at Milesburg are his son and grand son, both leaders, with their caravans. James Guy is now almost 80 wears old, but to look at him one would not take him to be a day more than 60, although during the past 40 years he has traveled the territory between Wilkesbarre and Scranton on the north, to Norfolk, Va., on the south.

—Merchant Isaac Goldstein's home, on Railroad street, South Fork, was broken into about 2 o'clock Monday morning by some unknown party. Entrance was gained through a back window. Abraham Goldstein's gold watch and chain was taken from his clothes on the first flcor. The loser values them at $85. From there the thief went to Mr. Isaac Goldstein's bed-room on the second floor and took his trousers, which were lying on a chair near his bed. They contained about $300. Mr. Isaac Goldstein was awakened as the party was leaving the bed-room, but did not catch him. The trousers were found in an alley about two hours later by Mr. Goldstein's son Abram.

Sheriff's Sales.

Sheriff Coulter will offer at sheriff's sale at the court house, in Ebensburg, on Monday June 1st, 1896, at 1 o'clock, P. M., the following properties:

The interest of D. E. Notly in the coal and mining privileges in 92 acres and 11 perches of land in Susquehanna township, known as the B. F. Pitts tract.

Also the coal and mining rights in 130 acres and 45 perches of land in Susquehanna township, known as the Mary Ann Conner tract.

Also the coal in 30 acres and 14 perches in Susquehanna township, known as the Joseph A. Gray tract.

The interest of Francis J. Thomas in a lot in Carrolltown borough, having thereon a two-story frame double dwelling house.

The interest of Caron Leahey in three lots of ground in Lilly borough.

The interest of John Huber in 71 acres and allowance of land in Elder township, except several lots previously sold leaving a balance of about 35 acres, having thereon a two-story plank dwelling house, a barn and other outbuildings.

The interest of John Alston in a lot and dwelling house in North Barnesboro, known as lot No. 34.

The interest of Elmer E. Goss in a lot of ground in Hastings borough, having thereon a two-story frame dwelling house and outbuildings.

Also one-half acre of ground having thereon erected a slaughter shop.

The interest of Anna Frances Purden and William B. Purden, Jacob H. Most, Jr., and Joshua H. Most, children and heirs of Jacob Most, deceased, in 420 acres of land in Allegheny township.

Also 103 acres of land in said township.

The interest of Andrew Stroeny, Katharina Stoney, Pat Pugel and Anna Pugel in 144 acres and 76 perches of land in Elder township, reserving the coal under said land excepting five acres.

The interest, franchises and rights of the Lilly Water Company in the reservoirs, water pipes, water plugs, gates, fittings, fixtures, etc.

Also a certain tract of land in Washington township, known as the reservoir tract.

The interest of Elmer E. Nagle in a lot of ground in Hastings, having thereon a two-story frame house.

The interest of J. J. McDonnell and John E. Wilson, assignee, in a lot of ground in Portage borough.

The interest of Joseph Kirsch in a lot of ground in Gallitzin township, having thereon a two-story frame dwelling house and outbuildings.

The interest of Margaretta McCloskey and Thomas A. McCloskey in a piece of ground in Gallitzin borough.

The interest of Annie E. McGarity in a lot of ground in Gallitzin.

The interest of H. J. Conway in 100 acres, more or less, in Gallitzin township, having thereon four dwelling houses and necessary outbuildings.

The interest of John C. Schwarb in a lot in Gallitzin township.

The interest of Alfred Miller in a lot of ground in Susquehanna township.

A $35 00 Bicycle at Last.

Ever since the introduction of the bicycle, predictions have been frequently made that it was only a question of time when a high-grade wheel could be purchased at a low price consistent with the actual cost of manufacture. It is a well-known fact that the original manufacturers of bicycles have become enormously rich from the large profits in the business, and have been able to maintain high prices by constant advertising. High-salaried racers paid to win on their wheels, expedients are resorted to keep the name of the wheel before the public, all of which the the user pays for, and gets no better wheel than one under a less-known name could be bought for at half the price.

In another column is shown a cut and full description of the "Maywood"—a first-class, high-grade wheel in every respect, at the low price of $35.00. If one will read the specification carefully he will be readily convinced that this particular wheel has many points of superiority over any other on the market, and as the manufacturers are a responsible, well known firm, and guarantee the wheel in every particular, we can unhesitatingly recommend the "Maywood."

Big Coal Plant Sale.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 11.—The Bell, Lewis & Yates Coal company has sold its plant, worth about $3,000,000, to a syndicate composed of New York capitalists and some stockholders of the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg railroad. The syndicate is headed by the New York Guaranty Trust company. The sale includes all the mines in the Reynoldsville, Pa., region, and they are thought to be the best coal producing mines in this country. Included in the sale are 47 miles of railroad, the Falls Creek and the Reynoldsville. These lines feed all the railroads leading out of the coal country.

The property will be transferred to the new buyers about June 1st. It is understood that Adrian Iselin, of New York, is at the head of the syndicate purchasing the property.

G. A. R. Encampment.

For the annual encampment of the G. A. R., Department of Pennsylvania, to be held at Chambersburg, Pa., June 1 to 6, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell from May 30 to June 6, inclusive, excursion tickets from all stations on its system in Pennsylvania to Chambersburg and return, good for return passage until June 8, at a single fare for the round trip. Excursion tickets, good to return by way of Gettysburg, will also be sold on same days at one and one-half cents per mile, distance traveled.

Real Estate Transfers.

F. A. Thompson et ux. to Richard J. Bender, Lilly, consideration, $400.

Annie E. Wagner et vir to Frank K. Specht, Johnstown, $500.

Cambria Iron company to William E. Pringle, East Conemaugh, $450.

William H. Mondorff et ux. to Conrad Apple, Lower Yoder, $700.

A. J. Beale et ux. et al. to J. W. Domer, Johnstown, $2,644.

Baltimore Building & Loan association M. J. Heeter, Johnstown, $1,450.

William A. Reininger et ux. to A. J. Beale et al. Johnstown, $1.

William Brand, Sr. et ux. to Frank Brand et al., Clearfield, $1.

George E. Horner et ux. to Charles Whipperman, Upper Yoder, $3,000.

Valentine Thomas et ux. to C. J. Thomas, Carrolltown, $400.

Kate S. Conrad et vir to M. A. Wesner, Johnstown, $5,700.

Equitable Loan & Building association to H. C. Kirkpatrick, Carroll, $2,200.

Charles Callahan to William Callahan, Washington, $10.

Chest Creek Land & Improvement company to William H. Bennett, Patton, $175.

Christopher Bantley et ux. to John P. Statler, Richland, $400.

Stephen Williams et ux. to Benno P. Williams et ux., Johnstown, $5.

Henry C. Bell et ux. to William C. Bell, Blandsburg, 225.

William C. Bell et ux. to William C. Thomas, Blandsburg, $400.

Executor of Ann Drass to Joseph Rhiner, Chest, $57.

Henry Umbaugh et ux. to Yost Henry Umbaugh, Upper Yoder, $600.

Caleb A. Gray et ux. to Joseph Diski, Elder, $18.

John Thomas et ux et al. to Willis Hoffmern, East Conemaugh, $500.

Cambria Iron company to William F. Stump, Franklin, $250.

Cambria Iron company to Emanuel Reighard, Mineral Point, $135.

Adam K. Keafer et ux. to Tobias Keafer et al. Upper Yoder, $800.

Assignee of John Brown et ux. to Henry Quinn, Summerhill borough, $25.

Executor of Catharine Helfrick to Noah Hoffman, Johnstown, $1,530.

Zachariah Dunmire et al. to School District of Croyle township, Croyle, $20.

Webster Land & Improvement company to School District of Croyle township, $50.

John Sanker et ux. to Susan Sanker, Cresson, $100.

Salome Stutzman et vir to Nancy J. Livingston, Adams, $50.

Cresson & Clearfield Coal & Coke company to School District of Reade township, Reade, $1.

Samuel W. Turner et al. to School District of Reade sownship, Reade township, Reade, $1.

Assignee of John Brown et um. to Wallace Plummer, Summerhill borough, $100.

Delana R. Moore, et ux. to Englebert McMullen, Gallitzin township, $165.

Assignee of William Mansfield et ux. to Gallitzin Building & Loan association, Ashville, $400.

George C. Diehl to Robert Swope, Portage township, $180.

Annie C. McMullen to School District of Allegheny township, Allegheny $ 0

Charles Von Lunen et ux. to Joseph Schwartz, Stonycreek, $200.

John A. Goughnour et ux. to David Eppley, West Taylor, $700.

Provident Building & Loan association to John T. Bradley, Tunnelhill, $500.

Owen J. Jones to Hugh Hughes, Summerhill townsnip, $1,800.

Mary Ann Angus et vir to Mary A. Snyder, East Taylor, $1.

H. M. Neff et ux. to Emma Neff, Hastings, $500.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued by the Clerk of the Orphans' Court for the week ending Thursday, May 14th, 1896:

William Oldham, Walnut Grove, and Julia Thomas, Dale.

Joseph Stibich and Jennie Smith, Lower Yoder township.

Tony Cosci, Ebensburg, and Lizzie Farabaugh, Blacklick township.

Joan Hamrock and Margaret Loshinszky, Johnstown.

John N. Szabol and Barbara Polycsak, Johnstown.

Andrew G. Kabler and Della G. Gosserd, Morreliville.

Stephen Conhr and Julian Botcho, Gallitzin.

William Kuhn, Glasgow, and Elvira J. Johnson, Lloydsville.

Andrew J. Patterson and Susanna McCormick, Lilly.

Frank R. Callihan and Amelia Glauber, Johnstown.

Cornelius M. Miller and Sadie Goughnour, Franklin.

George Chuba and Eva Kibbar, Johnstown.

Joseph Dempsey, Pittsburg, and Mary Lamb, Figart.

Frank Deconno and Lucy Kuneur, Barnesboro.

Norman C. Klabre, Johnstown, and Annie Houghton, Morrellville.

Argyle Coal Company Wins.

A telegram from Washington says the bituminous coal dealers there are worried over competition from Western Pennsylvania. For years the Cumberland, Md., and the Georges Creek, Va., output has monopolized that territory because the mines were so near at hand. About three years ago the Argyle mines of Cambria county, Pa., commenced to fight for an entrance there and succeeded in forcing the price down from $3.25 to $2.65 per ton. But the Maryland and Virginia products had a monopoly of the trade of the government, as bids were only asked for furnishing their coal. The representative of the Argyle company protested against this discrimination and made a fight to furnish the coal for the ordnance shops.

Capt. Sampson, the chief of ordnance, protested, but Secretary Herbert directed that a test should be made of the Argyle coal and the Georges Creek coal. It was made, and the analysis revealed that the Pennsylvania product excelled the other on nearly every point. Secretary Herbert immediately ordered 2,000 tons of the Argyle coal and requested the officers of the company to compete for the annual contract for furnishing coal to the navy.

Important to Agriculturists.

A forthcoming bulletin of the State Experiment station gives the results of a number of experiments with various grades of fertilizers on a farm in Bucks county. The results show how a fertilizer that is entirely adepted to the soil's needs will yield an increased profit per acre of anywhere from $40 and $50, while one that is not adapted has been used at a loss of $7 per acre, and in no test yielded an increase of over $4 to $5 per acre.

The most profitable mixture was of phosphoric acid and potash in equal parts; while neither of the two was good when used separately. The home-mixed fertilizer is recommended as best for the potato field in preference to any fertilizer sold on the market. The bulletin further telis how by comparatively simple means farmers in all parts of the state can ascertain the kind of fertilizer best adapted to their soil by inexpensive field experiments, and thus avoid an unnecessary waste of money.

National Prohibition Convention.

For the National Prohibition Convention to be held at Pittsburg, Pa., May 27, 28 and 29, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell from May 24 to 26, inclusive, excursion tickets from all points on its system to Pittsburg and return, at a single rate for the round trip (no less rate than 25 cents). These tickets will be good for return passage until May 30, inclusive.

Miscellaneous Notices.

WANTED.—A general representative in this county to organize local boards for the Artisans' Savings and Loan Association. Address 91 Fifth Ave., Pittsburg, Pa. mch22

WANTED.—A reliable man to represent a loan institution in Cambria county Money loaned in sums of $100 to $10,000. For particulars apply to W. M. DAVIS, Coalport, Pa. mch20tl.

THE Ebensburg Building & Loan Association will offer for sale at the council chamber, Ebensburg, on the fourth Monday in May, $1,000.00. THOS. DAVIS, President. LESTER LAMMER, Secretary.

WOOL. Farmers can get 22 cents per pound in trade for wool at the store of W. A. B. Little, in Loretto. A large and well assorted stock of general merchandise is on hand to select from. apr. 17 6t.

FOR COMMISSIONER: ROBERT FERGUSON, of Blacklick township, will be a candidate for the office of County Commissioner on the Democratic ticket, subject to the decision of the next county convention.

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Everybody, and especially the oyster-loving people of Ebensburg, are invited to call at Robt. McBreen's Old Reliable Restaurant, when they want good, fresh Oysters, by the pint, quart or gallon Or you can have them Stewed or Fried, all at the lowest price. Fresh Oysters every day. oct1tf

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Orphan's Court Sale

OF VALUABLE

REAL ESTATE!

BY virtue of an order of the Orphan's Court of Cambria county, Pennsylvania, to me directed, I will expose to public sale at the Central Hotel, in Carrolltown, on

SATURDAY, MAY 23, 1896,

at 1 o'clock, P. M., the following described real estate, viz:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Carroll, in Cambria county, Pennsylvania, adjoining lands of Sebastian Luther, Philip Stoltz, James Dick, John A. Bender, Erhart Farabaugh, John Sherry, Henry Farabaugh, Evan Morgan and William Roland, containing

349 ACRES

and thirty-nine acres more or less, and having thereon erected a new

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and large bank barn and outbuildings all in good repair. There is a good orchard and plenty of water on the farm. The above described is underlaid with valuable seams of coal, one half mile from railroad. One hundred acres of above land is covered with valuable timber.

THE COAL.

The coal in, under and upon said land together with the usual and necessary mining rights and privileges will be offered for sale separate and apart from the surface, and the surface will be offered separate and apart from the coal, and the said land will be sold either in the whole or severed, to suit the desires of the purchasers, and for the best price that can be obtained therefor.

TERMS OF SALE.

Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid in hand at the time of sale; the balance of one-third of the purchase money at the confirmation of the sale; one-sixth of the purchase money in one year and one sixth in two years from the confirmation of sale, the deferred payments to bear interest, and the remaining third of the purchase money to be and remain a lien upon the real estate during the lifetime of the widow, Agnes Zern, the interest to be paid to her annually, and the principal payable at her death. The deferred payments to be secured by judgment bond and mortgage of the purchaser.

ANDREW STRITTMATTER,
AUGUSTIN SHARBAUGH,
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Carrolltown, Pa., May 5th, 1896. ma 8 3t.

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RESTAURANT NOTICE.

I respectfully give notice to my many patrons of Ebensburg and country people at at large that on and after April 1, 1896, I will move my restaurant from Julian street to Centre street, in sight of the Cambria House, next door to Wilkinson's Marble yard, where I will be pleased to see all my old patrons, hoping a liberal share of the public patronage. I serve meals and lunches at all hours. Price, 15 and 20 cents. I will keep a full line of confectionery, fruits, candies, cigars, oysters, ice cream in season, ice cream in all flavors, special dinners and suppers gotten up by giving timely notice, spring vegetables in season. I will have a special parlor for ladies and their escorts. Thanks for past favors.

Respectfully yours,
JAMES H. GANT.

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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

In the matter of the final account of FRANK M. Shaffer, administrator of George Shaffer, deceased:

"And now, April 20th, 1896, W. Horace Rose appointed auditor to distribute the funds in the hands of said accountant. "BY THE COURT."

Certified April 20, 1896.
F. B. JONES, Clerk O. C., (SEAL.)

Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to the above appointment, I will sit at my office in the Fisher building, Clinton street, Third ward, City of Johnstown, on TUESDAY, MAY 19th, 1896, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, when and where all persons having claims upon the said fund may appear and present the same. All persons failing to present their claims at that time, before the auditor, will be debarred from coming in for a share of the fund. W. H. ROSE.

Johnstown, Pa., April 25, 1896. Auditor.
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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Sarah Hagan deceased.

Letters of administration c. t. a. on the estate of Sarah Hagan, late of the borough of Gallitzin, in Cambria county, Pa., having been granted to me, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make payment to me without delay, and those having claims against the same will present them, properly authenticated for settlement. THOMAS W. HAGAN, Administrator.

Gallitzin, Pa., May 1st, 1896. ma 8 6t.

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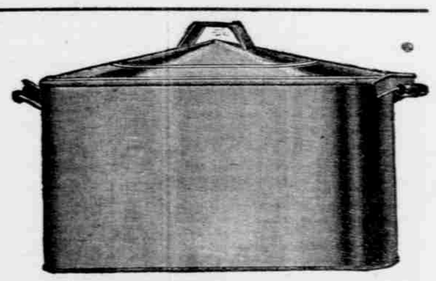

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Orphans' Court Sale

OF VALUABLE

REAL ESTATE!

BY virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Cambria County, Pennsylvania, to me directed, I will expose to public sale at the storeroom of W. A. B. Little, in the Borough of Loretto, Pennsylvania, on

FRIDAY, MAY 29, 1896,

at 2 o'clock, P. M., all the following described real estate, viz:

A piece or parcel of land situate on the head waters of the Chest and Clearfield Creeks in Allegheny township, Cambria County, Pennsylvania, beginning at a post, a corner of land of the heirs of Samuel McMullen, deceased, and on the road formerly leading from Loretto to Ebensburg; thence west along said road forty-two and one-fourth perches to a post, a corner of William Wenkland, deceased; thence north with said land seventy six perches to a post; thence with said Wenkland's land east forty-two and one-fourth perches to a post at Samuel McMullen's land and on the road leading from Loretto to Chest Springs; thence south with said McMullen's land seventy six perches to the place of beginning, containing TWENTY ACRES AND ELEVEN PERCHES and having thereon erected a large

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and barn and outbuildings all in good repair.

TERMS OF SALE.

Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid in hand at the time of sale, the balance of one-third at the confirmation of sale; one third in one year thereafter, and the remaining third in two years from the confirmation of sale. Deferred payments to bear interest, and to be secured by the judgment bond and mortgage of purchaser.

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Ebensburg, Pa., May 7th, 1896. 3t

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THE M. E. CONFERENCE

Woman Delegate Question Pops Up In Committee.

BLOW AT THE C. E. SOCIETIES.

Effort Made to Have the Epworth League Declared the Only Young People's Organization of the Church—Preacher's Hostile Interview Causes Trouble.

CLEVELAND, May 13.—The committee on missions of the M. E. general conference has considered the request of the conference of India that missionary work be done among the educated people of that country. A memorial was received requesting that all appropriations for missions be made specific instead of general. Both were referred to sub-committees. The committee recommended that the contingent fund of the missionary societies be increased from $25,000 to $50,000.

The woman delegate question popped up fiercely in the committee when South America asked that lay missionaries be seated in the missionary annual conferences. Many of these lay missionaries are women and it was argued that their being a part of the annual conference would allow them to be delegates to the general conference. There was a hot discussion and the matter was held in abeyance, but will probably be settled by allowing lay missionaries to occupy seats in conference, but not to vote.

The book concern committee discussed and will probably recommend that The Church Journal be published in Spanish for the benefit of Mexico and South America.

The education committee decided against the proposition to consolidate all the educational institutions, a course of procedure recommended on the score of economy.

There was a lively time at the meeting of the church extension committee over some severe criticism of the financial management of the Church Extension society. The society loans money to weak churches with which to build, the society taking mortgages. The complaint was that often these mortgages were worthless and the interest not paid. Rev. Dr. Kynett, the secretary, made vigorous answer that they were a great church and not a money-making corporation; that it would discourage the spread of the church and the Gospel to be overexacting, and that to press for the last penny used for Christ was not in line with true Methodism. The committee upheld Dr. Kynett.

The Epworth League committee debated the proposition to recognize the League as the only young people's society in the church. This was hotly opposed on the ground that it would drive many young people out of the church.

At the meeting of the committee on episcopacy Dr. J. F. Goucher of Baltimore, for the sub-committee to consider the advisability of electing more bishops, reported that Bishops Bowman and Foster and Missionary Bishop Taylor were worn out and inefficient and recommended that two additional bishops be elected to strengthen the board. Dr. D. H. Moore of Cincinnati moved to make the number four and his motion was supported by Dr. Graw, Dr. Leonard and Dr. Kynett. Before action was taken the committee went into executive session and when it adjourned nothing could be learned as to the result.

The session of the conference was brief, but breezy. Considerable oratory was indulged in over the head lines of one of the morning newspapers, which made it appear that a conference delegate had denounced the Christian Endeavor Society as idiotic, because it had prayed for the conversion of Colonel Ingersoll. The storm quickly blew over, however. Rev. W. A. Quayle of Kansas City, the delegate referred to, denied the interview, but said nevertheless it was his opinion and he believed it was the sentiment of many of the delegates. He was loudly applauded.

Amanda Smith, one of the most famous colored evangelists, was present, and the conference suspended business to receive her. She was given the greatest ovation of the conference, and was requested to sing. The delegates joined in the chorus, and one song was insufficient and a second was called for and given. She aroused the greatest enthusiasm.

The most important matter brought before the conference was embodied in a resolution providing for the appointment of a commission to prepare a new constitution. The shortness of the session and the failure of the conference to transact much business was due to the delay of the committees in preparing their reports.

At the armory last evening there was a meeting of the church extension society, at which Dr. William A. Spencer of Philadelphia, one of the secretaries, read statistics showing that $5,500,000 had been devoted to the work during the past 30 years; 9,962 churches being aided during that time. The collections for the past four years exceeded those of the previous four years by $31,000.

An Ex-Cashier Pleads Guilty.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 13.—John Love, ex-cashier of the First National bank of Watkins, has pleaded guilty to the indictment charging him with making a false entry in a report to the United States comptroller. No time has been fixed for passing sentence. Love was a defaulter for over $100,000.

Baltimore May Boycott St. Louis.

BALTIMORE, May 13.—President Von der Horst, of the Baltimore Baseball club, has sent the following telegram to Manager Von der Ahe of St. Louis: "Baltimore paper says you attached our gate receipts. If you intend to keep up this nonsense our club will not again appear in your city."

A Receiver Appointed.

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., May 13.—The United States court has appointed Z. Taylor Vinson receiver for the wholesale railway and mining supply house of Smith, Hobson, Brandt & Co. This was the largest house of the kind in the state. Assets and liabilities yet unknown.

Alleged Murderer on Trial.

BALTIMORE, May 13.—The work of securing a jury to try Jerome Councell, a boy but little more than 18 years old, for the murder of his adopted parents, Captain Frederick and Mrs. Anna M. Long, for their money, has begun in criminal court here.

Missionaries Coming Home.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 13. — Mr. Wheeler, the missionary, and family and the Gates family, consisting altogether of nine persons, have left Kharpoot, Armenia, on their way to America.

Military Surgeons In Session.

PHILADELPHIA, May 13.—The sixth annual convention of the Association of Military Surgeons is in session at the Broad Street theater.

PITH OF THE NEWS

European newspapers in general warn Spain against a conflict with the United States.

It is reported that two more Americans, supposed to be members of the Competitor's party, have been brought to Havana as prisoners.

The queen regent of Spain in her speech from the throne to the cortes discussed Cuban affairs at great length and promised local reforms to Cuba.

It is rumored at Washington that Secretary Olney has requested the withdrawal of the German Ambassador, Baron Thielman. The trouble is the outgrowth of the Stern case.

CONGREGATIONAL CELEBRATION.

Centennial Anniversary West of the Alleghenies at Marietta, O.

MARIETTA, O., May 13.—The centennial anniversary of Congregationalism west of the Allegheny mountains has begun here and will continue three days. The meetings are held in the old First Congregational church, built in 1807, and still used for church purposes, having been frequently remodeled. It stands on the site of the original blockhouse used 100 years ago. The visitors have been indulging in old-time reminiscenses in and around the first white settlement in the northwest territory. Among those who participated in the program today were: Prof. Frank H. Foster, Oakland, Cal.; Rev. Alonzo H. Quint, Boston; President Charles F. Thwing, Cleveland; Rev. Delaven L. Leonard, Oberlin; Rev. Cornelius E. Dickinson, Marietta, and Rev. James Brand, Oberlin.

The program for tomorrow includes Rev. Washington Gladden, Columbus; Prof. Williston Walker, Hartford, Conn., and others. The celebration will close Thursday evening with addresses by representatives from Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin, Michigan and other representatives of the northwest territory.

When the New England colony first settled at Marietta April 7, 1788, they had no minister with them. Rev. Daniel Breck of Topsfield, Mass., was called the following July. In 1796 Rev. Daniel Story, a graduate of Dartmouth, was called. For years the settlement worshiped in the northwest blockhouse in the fort called Campus Martius. The church in which the celebration is being held is the mother of many churches and colleges in the west.

ANOTHER POINT FOR DEUBER.

The Canton Manufacturer Gets In a Blow on the Watch Trust.

CINCINNATI, May 13.—John C. Deuber, watchcase manufacturer of Canton, O., who began the fight which finally broke up the watch trust, scored another point. Deuber and other companies paid to the Elgin and Waltham factories royalties in excess of $100,000 on the Colby patents and pendant watches.

Later they refused to pay royalties and were sued. The lower court rendered decision against them. Judge Taft, of the United States court of appeals, not only reversed the lower court's decision, but declared the Colby patent invalid. The companies will now sue for recovery of money already paid.

Relative of Jeff Davis Shot.

PARIS, Ky., May 13.—Jack R. Alexander, a great-nephew of Jefferson Davis, has been shot and mortally wounded at his saloon in this city by John Steers, a brakeman, whom he refused to credit for a drink.

The Metropolitan Handicap.

NEW YORK, May 14.—The result of the Metropolitan handicap was: Counter Tenor won, Maxim second, Sir Walter third. Time, 1:53.

Twenty Buildings Demolished.

WORTHINGTON (Minn.), May 13.—A cyclone has struck this place demolishing 20 buildings. Fortunately no one was seriously hurt.

Ex-Senator Iden Convicted.

COLUMBUS, May 13.—Ex-Senator Geo. Iden of Newark has been convicted of having offered Clerk John R. Malloy of the house of representatives $50 to falsify a roll call in 1893.

Got Ready For Death.

TIPTON, Ind., May 13.—Zachariah McNew, aged 87, has died at Jackson, this county, from the effects of a fall. He had a presentment of his death, for he came to Tipton last week and purchased clothes in which to be buried.

Four Killed by Lightning.

CADIZ, Ky., May 13.—During a storm here John J. Wallace, a prominent farmer, and his three sons, sought shelter under a large sycamore tree. A bolt of lightning struck it and killed all four of them instantly.

Whipped the Matabeles.

BULUWAYO, South Africa, May 13.—Beale's column has inflicted a defeat upon the Matabeles at Movene, without themselves suffering any loss.

THE RIVER AND HARBOR BILL

A Vote on the Measure Will Be Taken This Afternoon.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—The animated contest which has proceeded for four days in the senate over a deep water harbor on the southern coast of California has been brought to a close by a compromise between the conflicting interests. The issue has been between the points of Santa Monica, the terminus of the Southern Pacific, and San Pedro, the locality urged by the California senators. Senator Frye, chairman of the commerce committee, finally harmonized the differences by referring the determination, as between Santa Monica and San Pedro, to a commission, to consist of three civil engineers, a naval officer and an officer of the coast survey. The compromise was accepted by the California senators and was unanimously passed.

An amendment, urged by Mr. Gorman, limiting the expenditures under the contract authorizations to $10,000,000 annually led to a lengthy debate. A motion by Mr. Vest to table the amendment failed, yeas 26, nays 31. An agreement was reached to dispose of the bill by 3 o'clock this afternoon.

BOND INVESTIGATORS NAMED

Secretary Carlisle Says He Is Willing to Furnish Information.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—At the meeting of the senate committee on finance Chairman Morrill appointed a sub-committee of five to investigate the bond sales under the Peffer resolution, naming for that service Senators Harris, Vest and Walthall, Democrats; Platt, Republican, and Jones (Nev.) Populist.

Secretary Carlisle's letter to Senator Morrill saying that he was willing to furnish the committee any information at his command was read, and the chairman was authorized to request the secretary to supply a statement in writing with the understanding that if additional facts should be required he would be asked to appear personally.

The Session of the House.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—The house entered upon the contested election case of Rinaker vs. Downing from the Sixteenth Illinois district. The debate was very spirited, Mr. Wheeler (Dem., Ala.) was taken to task for abusing the privilege of printing in The Record, and some extensive interpolations in a recent speech of his were expunged by a vote of 75 to 144. Mr. Evans (Rep., Ky.), in obedience to the instructions of the ways and means committee, gave notice that he would call up the "free alcohol" bill at the first opportunity.

Filled Cheese Bill Reported.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—The finance committee of the senate reported favorably the house filled cheese bill, with some amendments. The amendments reduce the annual revenue tax on manufacturers of filled cheese from $100 to $20, and on wholesale dealers in the article from $250 to $200. The report was adopted by a bare majority of one, the vote standing 5 to 4.

Favorable to Nicaragua Canal.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—The Mahon Nicaragua canal bill has been ordered reported favorably to the house somewhat amended. The canal is to be constructed according to the plans of the engineer department of the army and under its supervision.

A SPLIT IN DELAWARE.

Higgins Men Bolt the Republican Convention.

ADDICKS' ADHERENTS IN CONTROL.

Each Side Held Conventions and Named Delegates to St. Louis—The Higgins Delegation Instructed For McKinley—A Lively Convention In Missouri.

DOVER, Del., May 13.—Before the adjournment of the Republican state convention here one of the stormiest battles in the history of state Republican politics had been waged.

Charges of fraud were exchanged and fighting over contested seats indulged in until it looked as if the convention would end in chaos. The war was between the factions respectively headed by J. Edward Addicks and ex-Senator Anthony Higgins. The Higgins men bolted the convention and held a separate one in the statehouse, W. Hastings presiding. These national delegates were chosen:

J. EDWARD ADDICKS.

Anthony Higgins, John Pilling, Hiram Reedy, Dr. Paris T. Carlisle, Cornelius P. Swain and George H. Hall. They were instructed for McKinley.

The regular convention selected J. Edward Addicks, D. F. Stewart, J. Frank Allen, Dr. Hiram R. Burton, Dr. Caleb R. Laton.

The Addicks delegates were uninstructed.

FLED TO CELLARS AND CAVES.

A Cyclone Scares the People of Lincoln, Neb.

LINCOLN, Neb., May 13.—A cyclone has swept this section. A funnel shaped cloud shot down from the storm cloud and a general stampede of citizens for cellars and caves ensued.

At the schoolhouse the children fled panic stricken to the furnace room amid the wildest confusion and many of them were hurt. The cyclone struck the ground north of the town. Its course was northwest. The path of the storm was from 200 to 300 yards wide and everything in this path was razed to the ground, including several houses. After traversing a distance of about two miles the cloud arose and at a point five or six miles further to the north dropped again to the earth, where it is feared that great damage and loss of life resulted.

Ex-Police Captain Sentenced.

NEW YORK, May 13.—Ex-Police Captain Edward B. Carpenter has plead guilty to the charge of bribery and has been sentenced to three months in the penitentiary and to pay a fine of $1,500 for receiving a bribe of $1,000 from the Liquor Dealers' association.

A Cyclone In Texas.

NOCONA, Tex., May 13.—A cyclone has struck the houses of S. K. Davis and E. J. Pruett, completely demolishing them. Mr. and Mrs. Pruett were severely injured and a small child of Mr. Davis was also badly hurt.

STATE HAPPENINGS.

New Castle ministers will fight Sunday desecration.

A congress of foundrymen is being held at Philadelphia.

The dead body of a child was found in an outhouse at Warren.

The state grand castle, Knights of the Golden Eagle, is in session at Altoona.

Mrs. Catherine Amigo was remanded to jail at Wilkesbarre, charged with murder.

The heavy rain of Monday night drowned out the forest fires in the vicinity of DuBois.

The Uniontown electric road is to be extended through Leith and Hopwood to Brownfield.

Mrs. William Cox of New Castle fell down a flight of stairs and received injuries which may prove fatal.

T. J. Boyer, a druggist at Portage, Cambria county, was held for trial at court for selling liquor without a license.

Beaver Falls citizens have petitioned Senator Quay and Congressman Phillips to hasten work on the new post office.

Survivors of the One Hundred and Twenty-seventh regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteers, held a reunion at Harrisburg.

Several of the workmen in the New Castle mills were overcome by heat on Monday, but none were dangerously affected.

Andrew Klepple, aged 27, and Joseph Kohn, aged 21, both miners, were run over and killed on the railroad near Irwin.

Keepor Henry Deckweitz of the Forepaugh-Sells show was attacked by a leopard in Allegheny City and probably fatally hurt.

Secretary of Agriculture Edge fell over at his desk with an attack of nervous prostration at Harrisburg. It is feared the attack will be fatal.

The breaking in two of a Lake Erie freight train near Homewood caused a bad freight wreck. A number of cars were damaged, but no one was injured.

A strange wild animal that carries off small live stock has been terrorizing the residents of Dunbar, and a hunting party to dispose of the animal is being organized.

By the falling of a scaffold in the interior of St. Mary's church, Erie, Louis Maranilli, an Italian painter, and Alex Lee, colored, kalsominer, were probably fatally hurt.

The grand jury at Greensburg ignored the charge of selling liquor without a license and gambling against J. F. Pickard, proprietor of the Grand Central hotel at Mt. Pleasant.

The remains of a man supposed to be James Mills were found in the ruins of the house burned at Murraysville, Fayette county. Mills was thought to have been away from home at the time of the fire.

Might Have Resulted Fatally.

BLUEFIELD, W. Va., May 13.—A fight has occurred between H. P. Woolwine of this place and Chief of Police W. T. Watkins. Had not one of the marshals, named Hazelwood, interfered and struck Woolwine with his mace the chief would have been severely injured or Woolwine would have been shot.

Deaths From Cholera.

ALEXANDRIA, May 13.—There has been 22 deaths from cholera reported here.

QUEEN OF FIGHTING CRAFT.

The Cruiser Brooklyn Greater Every Way Than the New York.

PHILADELPHIA, May 13.—The cruiser Brooklyn or as she has been more appropriately dubbed, the "Greater New York," has returned triumphant to her dock at Cramp's shipyard. Her journey up the Delaware river from the capes was almost one continuous ovation, every factory along the way saluting the queen of fighting craft as she passed, and flags were dropped repeatedly.

The most conspicuous objects about the Brooklyn as she steamed up the river were the big numerals "21.07," painted in white on each side of the central smoke stack. These figures told to passing craft the story of the successful speed test. The Brooklyn has been designed as a more effective ship than the New York, being longer, heavier and possessed of supposed greater fighting qualities. Although the speed called for is the same, many of those on board are confident that she will, on her official test, about July 15, accomplish 22 knots, or one knot more than the New York.

Work is being pushed on the battleship Iowa and it is expected she will be sent away from the yard for her unofficial trial about Sept 1.

A SEIZURE BY RUSSIA.

An American Scores a Point For That Country In China.

LONDON, May 13.—A special dispatch from Shanghai says that the Russians through an American agent named Smith have taken possession of the disputed territory at Chefoo, over which the British claim rights. Six Russian warships are there, as well as the Detroit, Yorktown, Olympia and Machias of the United States navy.

The dispatch adds that intense excitement prevails at Chefoo.

A dispatch to The Globe from Shanghai says that the Russians have seized lot 12 of the British concession at Chefoo in defiance of all legal and treaty rights.

The Globe's editorial comment on the dispatches from Shanghai contains the remark that:

"The seriousness of the news from Chefoo cannot be overestimated. The action taken is in direct contravention of existing laws and treaties and cannot be viewed by Great Britain as other than an unfriendly act."

FILLEY HAS THE CALL.

The Missouri Republican Convention Adopts McKinley Resolutions.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., May 13.—The Republican state convention was in session all night owing to the fight between the Filley and Kerens factions. The Filley contested delegates have been seated.

Before the opening of the convention members of both factions tried to break into the hall, and the police were compelled to use their clubs freely.

The platform declares for sound money and well-known Republican principles. The delegates are instructed to vote for McKinley.

A. P. A. Supreme Council.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—The supreme council of the American Protective association has held an informal meeting, the first of the convention. No special business was transacted, except the appointment of a committee on credentials, which is arranging to seat all contesting delegations.

Trying to Save Jackson's Neck.

NEWPORT, Ky., May 13.—The argument in the Jackson trial continues. Colonel Crawford devoted much time in an attempt to discredit the testimony of the two negroes Allen Johnson and George H. Jackson, the cabman, but his greater effort was to create a doubt as to whether the girl was killed in Ohio or Kentucky, and also to establish an alibi for Scott Jackson.

Deadly Quarrel Over Women.

HOPKINSVILLE, Ky., May 13.—At White Oak Grove Ed Long has been shot through the heart and instantly killed. A quarrel over two women had arisen, when pistols were drawn and shots fired, one of them striking Long, an innocent bystander. Five of the combatants were arrested on suspicion.

Ex-Senator Davis' Son Drowned.

WHEELING, May 13.—Word has been received of the drowning at sea of Henry G. Davis, Jr., son of ex-Senator Henry G. Davis and brother-in-law of Senator Stephen B. Elkins. Davis had taken a cruise to South Africa for his health and was accidentally drowned in midocean.

THE MARKETS.

PITTSBURG, May 12

WHEAT—No. 1 red, 73@74c; No. 2 red, 71@72c; spring wheat, 70@71c.

CORN—No. 2 yellow ear, 35½@35⅝c; No. 2 shelled, 34½@35c; high mixed shelled, 33½@34½c; mixed ear, 33c.

OATS—No. 1 white, 25@25½c; No. 2 do, 24@24½c; extra No. 3 white, 23½@24c; light mixed, 22½@23c.

HAY—No. 1 timothy, $15.25@15.50; No. 2 timothy, $13.50@13.75; mixed clover, $14.00@14.25; packing, $8.50@9.00; No. 1 feeding prairie, $11.50@12.00; wagon hay, $19.00@20.00 for timothy.

BUTTER—Elgin creamery, 18½@19½c; Ohio fancy creamery, 16@17c; fancy country, roll 14@15c; low grade and cooking 7@8c.

CHEESE—Fancy New York, full cream, large size, 9½@10c; New York flats, 10@10½c; fancy Ohios, 8½@9c; Wisconsin Swiss in tubs, 14@14½c; limburger, 12½@13c; Ohio Swiss in tubs, 13½@14c; Swiss, in square blocks, 13½@14c.

EGGS—Strictly fresh Pennsylvania and Ohio, in cases, 9½@10c; seconds, 8½@9c.

POULTRY—Large live chickens, 70@80c per pair; live chickens, small 60@65c; spring chickens, 50@75c; dressed chickens, 12@13c per pound; live ducks, 50@60c per pair; dressed, 13@16c per pound; live turkeys, 9@10c per pound; dressed, 14@15c per pound; live geese, 60@75c per pair.

PITTSBURG, May 13

CATTLE—Receipts fair this week; 50 cars on sale; market ruled slow and draggy at a decline of 10@12c on all grades. We quote prices as follows: Prime, $4.20@4.30; good, $4.10@4.20; good butchers, $3.80@4.10; rough fat, $3.00@3.65; bulls, stags and cows, $1.75@3.50; fresh cows and springers $15@40.

HOGS—Receipts liberal on Monday; demand fair; market steady; today's run light; demand light; market slow. We quote prices: Prime medium and best Yorkers, $3.60@3.65; common to fair Yorkers, $3.50@3.55; heavy hogs, $3.45@3.50; roughs, $2.00@3.00.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Supply fair on Monday; 22 cars on sale; market fair; prices 10c the lower on both sheep and lambs; medium grades selling best; today the receipts are fair and market steady. We quote as follows: Prime sheep, $3.65@3.75; good, $3.40@3.65; fair, $3.20@3.40; common, $2.75@3.00; culls, $1.00@2.00; choice lambs, $4.50@4.80; common to good lambs, $3.50@4.25; spring lambs, $5.00@7.00; veal calves, $4.00@4.60; heavy and thin calves, $2.00@3.00.

CINCINNATI, May 12

HOGS—Market active and strong at $3.50@3.55. Receipts, 4,000 head; shipments, 4,000 head.

CATTLE—Market steady at $2.65@4.25. Receipts, 200 head; shipments, none.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Market steady at $2.00@3.50. Receipts, 1,100 head; shipments, 700 head. Lambs—Market steady at $3.25@4.50, spring, $4.00@5.00.

NEW YORK, May 12

WHEAT—Spot market firm. No. 2 red, 75¾c; No. 1 hard, 73¾c.

CORN—Spot market steady. No. 2, 35¼c.

OATS—Spot market active in an export way; No. 2, 28¾@29c.

CATTLE—Market quiet and lower on common to medium steers and medium to good dry cows. Native steers, poor to prime, $3.10@4.60; Colorados, $4.00@4.25; oxen, $4.00; bulls, $2.75@3.75; dry cows, $1.80@3.25.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Market quiet and lower. Clipped sheep, poor to fair, $3.00@4.00; clipped lambs, common to choice, $4.50@4.85; spring lambs, $2.00@4.00 each.

HOGS—Market weak at $3.70@4.10.

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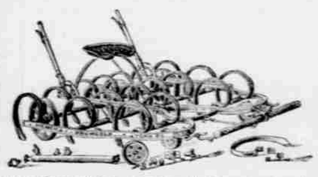

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